

## Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 29 1900.

## LOCAL MATTERS

TO BE OPEN TOMORROW AT 7:18 a. m. and 7:47 p. m. High water at 1:43 a. m. and 2:24 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section, fair weather tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

CHURCH SERVICES, ETC., SUNDAY  
—First Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Berryman Green.

—St. Paul's Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

—Holy Communion at 7:15 a. m. Service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. C. E. Ball.

—St. Mary's Church.—First Mass at 7 a. m. Mass at 10:30 a. m. and sermon by Rev. W. Gaston Payne. Vespers at 4 p. m.

—Lutheran Church.—Communion service at 10:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Leucker.

—Second Presbyterian Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. F. J. Brooke.

—First Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. G. L. Hunt.

—First Methodist Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. A. Jeffers.

—Young Peoples' prayer meeting at 6:30 p. m.

—Meth. Epis. Church South.—9:15 a. m. Sunday school. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. E. V. Register.

—Meth. Prot. Church.—9:15 a. m. Sunday school. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

—Free Methodist Church.—Lee street, near Wilkes.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by John Cavanaugh.

—Village Chapel, M. E. Church South.—Gibson street near Alfred.—Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 p. m.

—Railroad Reading Rooms.—Services at 4 p. m.

—Del Ray Chapel, M. E. Church South.—Sunday school at 2:30. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

—Aime House.—Services at 2:30 p. m.

—Mission.—Corner Franklin and Jefferson streets.—Services at 7:30 p. m.

—Moore Chapel, Protestant Episcopal (colored).—Sunday school at 3 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 6 p. m.

—Roberts Chapel, M. E. Church (colored).—Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

TO DELINQUENTS.—The delivery of the Gazette to those in arrears for subscription will be discontinued at the end of the year. This applies to all delinquents, as the Gazette has no free list.

U. S. JURORS.—The following is the list of petit jurors drawn in Richmond yesterday for the United States Circuit and District Courts, which meet in this city on January 8: J. G. Bruce, Hudson Mills; Jesse Maupin, Williamsburg; J. J. Crim, Bolington; Joseph Williams, Woodville; J. W. Todd, Great Bridge; Washington Jackson, Alexandria; Robert H. S. Gibbs, Glen; B. Utton, Urbana; J. W. Barrick, Free Shade; Luther W. Hickman, Elvan; Albert Robinson, West Point; J. G. Cannon, Muller; J. R. Corbin, Hudson's Mill; Z. W. Collins, Richmond; Park L. Rolinger, Norfolk; James West, King William; A. G. Ware, West Point; J. B. Beasley, Beazley; R. B. Roane, Pamper; Harvey D. Pynes, Stevensville; W. J. Gentry, Richmond; W. F. Grey, South Norfolk; J. M. McClellan, South Norfolk; and R. F. Ritchie, Rumford.

The grand jurors for the same court are as follows: Chas. Johnson, Jr., Richmond; W. C. Shackelford, Brandy station; Penatton Douglas, Gainesville; Thomas Bolling, Richmond; John S. Charles, Williamsburg; R. H. James, Brandyville; B. F. Wolfe, Williamsburg; W. G. Newion, Norman; B. Friskorn, Richmond; Joseph S. Hall, Norfolk; T. B. Mahone, Williamsburg; John C. Harris, Culpeper county; T. B. Whit, Beulahville; William Crosby, Falls Church; J. P. Bell, Richmond; Robert Bacon, Manassas; M. D. Bottie, Mitchell; A. C. Walker, Walkerton; Jos. P. Terry, Boynton; A. B. Johnson, Warren; Ernest Bowers, Richmond; A. J. A. Annack, Tappanbanock.

COLORED INFANT FOUND.—A colored male infant between six weeks and two months of age was found in the vestibule of the residence of Mr. George S. French, at 105 north Alfred street, at 7:15 o'clock last night by a lady and gentleman who were passing by. Their attention was attracted by the muffled cries of the child, and upon looking in the vestibule they discovered the baby. The child was taken into Mr. French's residence and temporarily placed in the care of the cook employed there. The child had on a white dress with the lining of a hat for a bow at its body. A common black seal about its body. Lieutenant Smith, Sergeant Smith, and Policemen Lytle and Deane investigated the case and ascertained that the child was brought to this city by a colored woman who reached here from Washington in the evening. She sat in the depot with the baby for some time and left there at about 7 o'clock. She then started down the street when she was lost sight of, but eventually placed the baby in the vestibule as she passed Mr. French's residence. A partial description has been secured of the woman and the Washington police have been requested to look out for her.

ORGAN RECITAL.—The organ recital given in the Second Presbyterian Church last night by Mr. Harry Patterson Hopkins, of Washington college, was largely attended and greatly enjoyed. The programme was as follows: Grand Prelude in D Minor; Overture in F by Beethoven; Pastorale; Capriccio in G by Guilmont; In Paradisum, by Dubois; Reverie of the Sylphs, by Berlioz; La Cinqtaine, by Gabriel-Marie; Overture to Stradella, by Flotow; Prelude to Lohengrin; Pilgrims' Chorus, by Wagner.

Watch meeting services will be held in the Free Methodist Church on Monday night beginning at 9 o'clock. The general quarterly meeting will begin on January 3 and will last till the 6th. The services will be conducted by Rev. George Eakins.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY  
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

The most effective little liver pills made are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They never gripe.

PERSONAL.—Lucy, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel P. Devaughn, who has been quite sick at her home on upper Prince street, is rapidly improving.

Capt. J. M. Grigg has returned from Brooklyn where he has been for the past two weeks.

Miss Edna C. Lee, daughter of Capt. D. M. Lee, wore a costume at the Colonial ball in Fredericksburg Thursday night which was worn long years ago by her great grandmother.

Dr. Stewart Jamieson spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jamieson.

Messrs. E. E. Downham, H. A. Downham, J. B. Padgett, Thomas W. Robinson, James E. Alexander, Harry Kirk, Harry Hammond, Sherman B. Fowler, and John H. Fisher returned yesterday from Richmond, where Thursday night they attended the annual meeting and election of officers of Acca Temple, Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles, Mystic Shrine.

Mr. William B. Smoot has issued cards for a reception at his residence, on Prince street, from 12 to 5 o'clock, New Year's Day.

The members of the Bachelor Club will entertain their friends at their club rooms, on King street, Tuesday evening next.

Cal. Morton Marye, State auditor of public accounts, was at his office yesterday, after having been confined to his home several days by sickness.

[Richmond Dispatch.]  
Rev. W. Gaston Payne, the Catholic missionary priest, who is so well and favorably known here, passed through the city today on his way from Danville to Alexandria, to visit relatives and spend the New Year.—[Charlottesville Progress.]

Mrs. Carrie Marshall and Miss Mary Stabler, who have been spending the past few weeks in Asheville, N. C., have returned to their home in this city. Mrs. Marshall has slightly improved in health.

Rev. Fathers E. Tearney and W. Gaston Payne are guests of Rev. Father H. J. Cutler, of St. Mary's rectory.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS.—Scholars of the Sunday-school of Grace Church held their Christmas celebration last night in that church, which was very prettily decorated for the occasion.

Interesting services were held and the music by the children was well rendered. An appropriate and interesting address was delivered by Rev. C. E. Ball and all the children were given a bountiful supply of candies, nuts, etc. Mr. Ball was presented with a handsome Standard dictionary by the Junior Order of that church.

One of the prettiest entertainments of the holidays was that by the Sunday-school of the M. P. Church last night. The music and recitations by the children were well rendered. The presents were handed out by the pupils, and were distributed by Santa Claus, assisted by three Brownies, who also made the windmill go. This was a very pretty and novel feature of the entertainment. All the teachers were presented with pretty presents.

At 6 o'clock yesterday evening the chapel Sunday-school of the Second Presbyterian Church held their Christmas entertainment in the old First Presbyterian Church, on South Fairfax street. A musical and literary programme was rendered, after which candy was distributed to the children. The Christmas entertainment at the M. E. Church South on next Tuesday night will differ somewhat from those usually given on such occasions. In addition to the singing of carols by the school, Mr. W. S. Kelly, of Washington, will give an organ recital. He will be assisted by Miss Stewart, soprano, of Washington, and Miss Polard, contralto, of this city.

FORMALDEHYDE BRIQUETTES.—As a number of people of Alexandria are interested in formaldehyde the following from the Philadelphia Record may be of interest:  
For a long time it has been recognized as desirable to supplant disinfection by steam (which can only be carried out properly in hospitals and other places where there is the necessary apparatus) by some chemical disinfectant which can be used by every layman. Such means as sublimate, carbolic acid and similar substances are not easy to handle. It is almost impossible to spread them evenly over the material to be disinfected. Since the discovery that formaldehyde is one of the best destroyers of bacilli many experiments have been made to render it of general use, and at last this has been accomplished. The object to be achieved with disinfecting matter is to steam or spray it so that it will penetrate into every crevice. The Eib formaldehyde briquettes, which are now used in Germany, have been planned for this purpose. Each one contains one ounce of formaldehyde. When a lighted match is applied the briquette burns away like one of coal, and the disinfectant is freed and dispersed into every corner. At the same time the atmosphere of the room which is being disinfected should be kept moist by boiling water in an open vessel.

"NIGHT DOCTORS."—A colored man employed by Mr. O. F. Baggett, when he went to the latter's stable near the cemetery early this morning to hitch up his team, was accosted by four men who were believed by the driver to be "night doctors." The driver did not want to make the acquaintance of the men, but made a dash for this city and did not stop running till he reached the market house, where he said that if the horse and wagon were wanted some one else would have to go for them.

GERMAN.—One of the most brilliant and delightful Germans of the season was given last night at McBurney's Hall by the young ladies of this city to the Alexandria German Club. The German was led by Mr. Taylor Burke, who introduced many pretty and novel figures, and the affair was heartily enjoyed by all present. Many out-of-town guests were present. Douch furnished the music and refreshments were served at midnight. The chaperones were Mrs. Howard and Mrs. Brockett.

K. OF P. ELECT OFFICERS.—Oriental Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held its regular meeting last evening and elected officers for the next six months as follows: C. C. H. Friedlander; V. C. A. Deaton; M. A. A. F. Latham; M. of W., S. L. Monroe; K. R. and S. A. F. Cox; M. of E. Knequer; W. H. May; M. of F. R. H. Hancock; I. G. M. R. Norris; O. G. J. B. F. Florence. Mr. H. Crump, M. of F. retired at his own request after filling the office for thirteen years.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No care—no pain. 50c.

Help is needed at once when a person's life is in danger. A neglected cough or cold may soon become serious and should be stopped at once. One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures coughs and colds and the worst cases of croup, bronchitis, grippe and other throat and lung troubles.

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.—George H. Broadhurst's farces "The Wrong Mr. Wright," "What Happened to Jones," and "Why Smith Left Home" have gained for him recognition in the United States and all three have been seen at the Strand Theatre, London, where they have proved as successful as in this country. Of these plays the latest and best is "Why Smith Left Home," which is announced for presentation at the Opera House tonight. The farce was brought directly after a four month's run at the Strand Theatre, London, to the Madison Square Theatre, New York, where it ran for many months.

THE BEAHM CASE.—The Circuit Court for Prince William county granted a new trial this morning to Professor J. C. Beahm convicted of the seduction of one of his pupils. Judge Harrison, of Winchester, presided at the request of Judge Nicol, who declined to sit in the case. Messrs. J. E. T. Thornton and Epps Hutton, Jr., argued the case for the Commonwealth and Messrs. J. M. Johnson and R. Walton Moore for Professor Beahm.

CHURCH REOPENED.—The Del Ray M. E. Church was open Wednesday evening for public services for the first time since the building was remodeled and repaired. The occasion was the Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school. The church will be formally dedicated Sunday, January 6. In the special exercises of this occasion Rev. Mr. Day will be assisted by well known clergymen of the Methodist Church.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC.—Owing to the sickness of some of the choir only a part of the Christmas music will be repeated in Christ Church tomorrow. In some of the other churches the music rendered on Christmas Day will be repeated.

PROPERTY SALES.—Mr. S. H. Hunt sold at auction today a lot of ground and two-story frame dwelling hereon, known as No. 315 north Alfred street, to Wm. B. Dulaney for \$400. The lot of ground adjoining the above was withdrawn.

APPOINTMENT.—Captain R. B. Pezram, division superintendent of the Southern Railway Company at Memphis, Tenn., has been appointed assistant general manager of the Southern Railway, with headquarters at Washington.

THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE, that good old newspaper, established just one hundred years ago, has ever been a champion of the people's rights, as it has always been a welcome visitor to Virginia firesides.—[Fairfax Herald.]

RAILROAD MISSION NOTES.—The Railroad Reading Room Workers have arranged for a special service tomorrow evening at 4 o'clock. The speakers (students from the Seminary) have been drawing large and attentive audiences and much interest is being manifested. The special feature of the service tomorrow will be a solo by Mrs. Effie Tyler Leaf. This organization is preparing for a mission to be conducted the first week in February by Rev. Dr. Lacy, of Lynchburg. Special work is being prepared and a unique service is looked for. The singing at that time will be led by a choir of young men, under the direction of Mr. Thos. H. Nettlesand, of this city.

SAFE FORBIDDEN.—A telegram was received here today from Gordonsville, stating that a safe had been blown open and robbed last night at Trevilian's, nine miles east of Gordonsville. The robbers secured about \$200. A German tramp is suspected and a reward has been offered for his arrest.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

She said her husband was a dream.  
And thanked him all the day for it;  
To him a nightmare it did seem,  
Because he had to pay for it.

Fourteen lodgers were at the station house last night.  
There were no cases for trial in the Police Court this morning.

Another handsome Christmas tree is that at the residence of Mr. Thos. Aie, in West End.

Yesterday was cloudy and rainy, but the skies cleared in the evening and the night was clear and bright. Today has been fair, bright and crisp.

The market today was attended by comparatively few country people and country produce was rather scarce, though the demand was not brisk. Prices show but little change.

Former President Grover Cleveland passed through this city early this morning en route for Georgetown, S. C., where he will shoot ducks. He and his party are traveling in a private car.

Dr. Miller today reported to the Mayor that a child of Mr. Sam Fones, living on Queen street, between Fairfax and Lee, had a mild case of smallpox. No fear of the spread of the disease is entertained.

Among the handsome floral tributes placed upon the coffin of the late Mr. Noble Lindsey, at the funeral yesterday, was a beautiful wreath sent by the Business Men's League of this city with the name of that league in immortal letters.

When you need a soothing and healing antiseptic application for any purpose, use the original LeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, a well-known cure for piles and skin diseases. It heals sores without leaving a scar. Beware of counterfeits.

CALL COMMUNICATION OF ALEXANDRIA-WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 22, A. F. & A. M., will be held at the temple MONDAY EVENING, the 31st instant, at 7 o'clock for work.

By order of the Worshipful Master, dec29 21 JAS. S. DOUGLAS, Sec.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., Dec. 26, 1900

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held this day a Semi-annual Dividend of FOUR PER CENT was declared, payable on and after January 2nd, 1901.

dec29 21 CHAS. E. HOFF, Cashier.

THE 32d ANNUAL MEETING OF THE INDEPENDENT MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Fairfax county, Va., will be held in the company's office, 119 1/2 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 14th day of January, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.

dec29 21 C. LUKENS, Secretary.

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1115 Prince, 2 story brick, 9 rooms, a m. i. 20x100..... 2,800

1303 1/2 Prince, 3 story br. 6 rooms..... 1,000

312 s. St. Asaph, 10 rooms, a m. c. 22x113, stable in rear..... 2,500

1205 King, 2 story b. 8 rooms, a m. c. 22x113, stable in rear..... 2,850

1290 Prince, 2 story f. b. 7 rooms..... 1,500

317 Queen, 3 story b. h. 9 rooms..... 1,250

714 Wythe, f. h. 6 rooms..... 1,600

422 n. West, b. h. 6 rooms, 18x90..... 1,900

1216 Prince, b. h. side lot..... 1,100

309 s. Washington, b. h. 7 room, 2 story, a m. c..... 2,200

209 Commerce, 2 1/2 story f. b. 8 rooms, side lot..... 2,300

809 s. Washington, f. h. 10 rooms, side lot..... 2,300

1016 Prince street, 3 story brick 10 rooms, nice location for a home, 2,000

224 s. Washington street, 3 story brick dwelling, 10 rooms, bath, pantry, a m. c.; an elegant home 3,000

FOR RENT.

Store cor Pitt and Queen, fine business corner..... 10 00

Store and 7 rooms, cor Queen and West..... 15 00

Store and dwelling, cor King &amp; West, 24 and 3d doors 321 King, 5 rooms, 12 50

222 n. Fairfax, b. h. 6 r., a m. c..... 10 00

323 s. Pitt, f. h. 6 r., bath..... 10 00

313 s. Columbus, f. h. 10 r., bath..... 9 50

312 s. St. Asaph, f. h. 10 r., bath..... 16 50

317 Queen, 5 rooms..... 10 00

111 Prince, 8 rooms..... 8 00

321 s. St. Asaph, 6 rooms and bath, 16 50

127 Prince, 8 rooms..... 10 00

308 King, store and 8 rooms, newly painted and papered..... 25 00

116 n. Alfred, 10 r., a m. c..... 20 00

631 s. Fairfax, 6 r., a m. c..... 12 00

512 s. Alfred, 6 r..... 6 00

709 s. Columbus, 6 r..... 7 00

211 Wilkes, 6 r..... 8 50

LOST.

REWARD.—Lost on December 11th, a white and liver colored SETTER, with the initials J. W. S., marked on his collar. A reward of \$5 will be paid for the return of the dog to

E. W. STARNELL, No. 916 Prince st. dec27 1w\*

FOR RENT.—FRAME HOUSE, 908 Cameron street, hot and cold water, latrines, modern conveniences. Possession given January 1st. Rent \$200 a year. dec26 1w JOHN T. NALLS.

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Fine French Candies,

Fancy Malaga Grapes,

Florida Oranges,

New Crop New Or-

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Jumbo Pecans,

Fancy Lemons,

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ding,

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Cape Cod Cranberries,

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Grapes

IN

Fine Clusters.

AND

Fancy Florida